

## MANAGEMENT UNIT: RONALD LAKE

### MANAGEMENT INTENT

This unit is to be managed to support scattered residences and small farms on a limited amount of developable land interspersed with poorly drained areas. Development should proceed with care to avoid damaging the water quality of various streams and wetlands. Road access will not be provided through this unit to the Nancy Lake Recreation Area or the Little Susitna River. Wetlands in the unit will be managed for watershed and habitat uses.

### SUBUNIT A: SETTLEMENT/SMALL FARMS

#### Primary Land Uses

- Settlement (dispersed)
- Small Farm Agriculture

#### Secondary Land Uses

- Fish and Wildlife
- Forestry

Note: The areas shown on the following map as settlement or small farm sites are tentative; more detailed study of existing data and field work are necessary to identify areas that can support these uses and avoid damaging surrounding water quality.

### MANAGEMENT GUIDELINES

#### Small Farm Agriculture

On good agricultural soils, priority should be given to small farm agriculture rather than settlement.

#### Settlement

Residential disposals are encouraged at a density commensurate with land capability and with appropriate wetland and stream buffers as specified in Chapter III, Policies and Management Guidelines; Rivers and Streams; and Chapter III; and Wetlands.

### Forestry

See Chapter III, Policies and Management Guidelines; Forestry.

## SUBUNIT B: WETLANDS

### Primary Land Uses

- Fish and Wildlife
- Watershed

### MANAGEMENT GUIDELINES

See Chapter III, Policies and Management Guidelines; Wetlands.

## AREA-WIDE POLICIES AND MANAGEMENT GUIDELINES

Chapter III presents additional policies and land management guidelines which may be relevant to particular decisions in this management unit. Categories of these policies and guidelines are listed below for ease of reference:

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